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SUBJECT: PAPUA NEW GUINEA TO ESTABLISH ARCHIPELAGIC
REGIME

1. GEOFFREY DABB, LEGAL ADVISOR, DEPT. OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND TRADE, CALLED ON ME JULY 25 TO EXPLAIN PNG PLANS RE ESTABLISHING ARCHIPELAGIC REGIME. DABB SAID ESTABLISHMENT OF ARCHIPELAGIC REGIME CALLED FOR IN NATIONAL SEAS ACT BUT NOT YET ESTABLISHED. TO DATE, PNG HAS NOT USED THOSE BASE LINES FOR TERRITORIAL SEA OR EEZ. HOWEVER, GPNG PROPOSES TO INTRODUCE REGIME IN NEXT FEW MONTHS.
2. PLANS CALL FOR SLIGHT VARIATION FROM LINES PROCLAIMED UNDER THE ACT. THIS TO BE DONE BY AMENDING THE ACT TO PROVIDE FOR CONFORMITY WITH RULES LAID OUT IN LOS-ICNT.
3. WHILE IN NEW YORK AT RESUMED LOS SESSION, DABB WOULD LIKE TO DISCUSS PNG PLANS WITH GEORGE TAFT OR TOM CLINGAN, AND, IF POSSIBLE, BOB HODGSON.
4. DABB ALSO SAID HE UNDERSTOOD THAT FIJI HAD ALREADY TAKEN SIMILAR ACTION AND ASKED WHAT U.S. ATTITUDE TOWARDS FIJIAN LAW MIGHT BE. PLEASE ADVISE.

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